Pamplin

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Barrow were Cardell Ramsey and son, Timothy, from Charlotte, N.C. Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Cyr from Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Price and son, Gene of Appomattox.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Baldwin and three children returned home the latter's parents and kin, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Lanham and Mrs. Ryland Elder in Brookneal.

Mrs. Lois Simpson of Baltimore, Maryland is visiting her daughter and family, Major and Mrs. Richard Williams. She expects to spend the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beale went to see Mrs. Beale's sister, Mrs. Annie Graham and Mr. Lucy Gee, in Prospect.

Tuesday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Beale were Mr. and Mrs. Barry Beale of Appomattox and Miss Virginia Harvey of Lynchburg.

Mrs. J. T. Morris and Mrs. C. H. Moffett went Tuesday to Lynchburg shopping. Mr. Jack Price stayed with Mr. Moffett and Mr. Morris while they were gone.

Mrs. Ruth Eakin spent the day Wednesday in the Moffett home.

Miss Flora Belle Williams and Mrs. Thomas Caldwell spent several days in Richmond with their brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Williams. They went

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Wingfield and Mrs. Susan Pond, of Lynchburg, were callers in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Caldwell Sunday.

Mr. R. R. Davis and Mrs. E. H. Cunningham are still patients in the Farmville Southside Community Hospital.

Miss Flora Belle Williams attended Founders Day exercises at Longwood College in Farmville on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hamlett, James and Patricia visited Mrs. Hamlett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Barrow in Orlena Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Alice Marshall is continuing slowly in her home after having been a patient in the Virginia Baptist for convalescence.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Dickerson went to Buckingham to a supper sponsored by a Land Co. in Florida Tuesday night, March 16.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Pope through the week were Corey Ramsey, Waverly Pope, Wesley Hamlett, Alex Rosser, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Goode of Lynch. Mr. Pope is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Maxwell visited Mr. and Mrs. Walker Martin in Evergreen Sunday afternoon. Mr. Martin is improving.

Vera

"Every good gift and every perfect gift is from above, and cometh down from the Father of lights with whom is no variableness, neither of shadow of turning." James 1:17.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Robinson and Bobby and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carson and Sylvia and Mrs. Frank and girls, of Madison Heights, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey attended the funeral of Mr. Alex Bryant in Buckingham Friday. With sympathy for his family.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey Wednesday were Mrs. Peggy Harvey and Leo, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Watson, Susan and Jewel.

Rev. Marvin Jacobs visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey Thursday.

Mrs. Willie Moore, Mrs. Peggy Harvey were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Harvey visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brickley Brown Sunday night.

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Father Oakleaf

Calvin Robinson

Years ago I published a poems I had writtten at ...ents. Came across it and repeat the followings:

...ve Immensely ...ney and success; ...that I most want ...happiness. ...that most I want ...every day. ...the count their gold; ...brows are wrinkles, ...hearts are cold.

* * *

...seems to fit in just ...appomattox puts the ...inches on plans for ...annual. Let the goal be ...our programs and ...individual contacts ...tors so that when it ...will have the inward ...of hoping that some ...ight nominate us as ...an Town of The

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...tidbit: Operator 39 ...me of a man by the ...Austin who operated a ...table and blacksmith ...the corner of what is ...ch St. and Railroad ...1900. Said Austin was ...his trade he could ...my sewing needle so ...t detect that it had ...broken.

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...can 'pile up". A ...paper tells of two ...who wagered ten cents ...one of the first hole ...d to double the bet ...ceeding hole. At the ...hole, the wager was ...That rate of growth ...de the material pil- ...my desk for potential ...column. That includes ...the fabulous Yankee, ...ge Armstrong Custer, ...who will speak ...9, once stated that ...been written about ...Last Stand" than had ...about the Battle of ...It has just dawned ...that at Appomattox, ...red the supply and ...Lee needed so des- ...by approaching from ...side of the railroad. ...had always figured ...coped down from the ...Road. Soon as I can, ...my metal detector on ...line of Custer's de- ...ce.

...is a rare booklet on ...of Gen. Lee by Chris- ...Sir recalled that ...used the word "Yan- ...many times he had ...order . . . 'Charge ...People.' She mentions ...ation to young people ...of a rebuilt South. ...that one evening "after ...there was a dance at ...orthus" and Lee noticed ...freckled redheaded lass ...ing passed by in the ...t partners. Gen. Lee ...floor, presented him- ...aw to it that she be- ...'belle of the ball.' ...race, Honor and Dig- ...se virtues would pre- ...South, but for Lee ...re was a burden of ...young lady whom Lee ...to visit The Springs ...garets, saying that she ...make it but would see ...summer." Lee said ...Tell her she should ...now, next summer ...too late." And then he ...added, 'My child, ...am the very oldest

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...A Victors ...4th Year

...annual F.H.A. volleyball ...was held at William ...Bell High School Friday, ...26. The Appomattox Var- ...and Junior Varsity teams ...victorious as they swept ...their opponents with ease. ...the fourth undefeated ...of the Varsity and the ...of the Junior Varsity. ...bers of the Varsity team ...Debbie Thomas, Capt. Jill ...Bennett Paulette, Jennie ...Bonnie Nash, Margaret ...Edith Farris, Faye Arr- ...Carsonette Garrett, Caro- ...Barbara Reid, and ...Richardson.

...of the Jr. Varsity ...Shirley Richardson, Capt. ...Batten, Kathy Goin, ...Cardell, Diane Doss, ...Gilbert, Cindy DePew, ...Janet Martin, and ...Pugh.

WALTER J. PURDY

For Lions' Anniversary

Principal speaker for the Lions Club's 25th Anniversary dinner here on April 8 at the Appomattox High School cafeteria will be Lion Walter J. Purdy, of Ravenswood, W. Va.

Lion Purdy was lected a director of Lions International at the annual convention in Atlantic City June 21. A Lion for more than 33 years, he has served as club president, deputy district governor, and district governor of W. Va. He is a Master Key member and the recipient of four International President's awards.

He is owner and manager of the Rural Supply Company of Ravenswood. A member of the Episcopal Church, Lion Purdy is a Mason and a Shriner.

Will You Offer "Hospitality"?

The Appomattox Junior Woman's Club and the Home Demonstration Clubs have been asked by the Civil War Centennial Committee to look into the possibilities of Guest Housing in and around the village of Appomattox during the week end of April 8th and 10th. There will be many out of town visitors seeking accomodations and due to limited Motel facilities we feel it would be a great service to our community if we as individuals would offer free housing as a gesture of our southern hospitality.

Plans are being made to place centennial housing guest cards in an information center to be located at a desirable place easily accessable to tourist. A representative from one of the clubs in Centennial gown will be present at the information center to offer information and guest cards to those seeking accomodations. This card will be presented by guest upon arrival at residence.

If you have a room or rooms available and would like further information call one of the following committee members. Mrs. Joyce W. Morris — 352-2511; Miss Peggy Berger — 352-2365; Mrs. Peggy Lawson — 352-3691.

Centennial Ball Plans Announced

Members of the Woman's Club, Junior Woman's Club, and Garden Club of Appomattox, are sponsoring a Centennial Ball on Friday, April 9, from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. at the Avalon Club. Tickets for members and their guests may be obtained NOW from Mrs Roger Norfleet for members of the Woman's Club; from Mrs. Walter Carson, for the Jr. Woman's Club, and from Mrs. Crawford Davidson for the Garden Club. Tickets are limited and will be sold until the capacity of the Avalon has been reached. Price: $2.50 per couple; $1.25 a single ticket.

Music will be furnished by Bob Davis and his orchestra. Light refreshments will be served, a courtesy of the members of the three hostess organizations.

Local Banks To Close 11 A. M. On April 9th

The Board of Supervisors having declared April 9th a County Holiday, the Fidelity National Bank and The Farmers National Bank will close their offices at 11 a.m. Friday, April 9th.

Horse Show Is Suspended

Upon recommendation of the Board of Directors and vote of the Club, a Lions- Jaycee Horse Show will not be held this year. Action to surpend the show was taken at the regular meeting of March 11.

Board Postpones Meeting On 9th

The Board of Supervisors of Appomattox County having declared April 9, 1965 a holiday for the county, have postponed the regular meeting from April 9 to April 16 at 9 a.m.

Country Lane Changes Time Of Meeting

The Country Lane Home Demonstration Club will meet Monday, April 5, at 7 p.m. in the home of Mrs. L. N. Hornsall with Mrs. H. D. Folks, hostess. Special interest for this meeting is learning to knit.

Future Foretold

In February 1932, CALVIN H. ROBINSON, charter member of the Lion's Club and former editor publisher of the Times-Virginian put in writing some predictions of changes which would take place in Appomattox by the time of the Centennial. Some of the developments which he foresaw were 'a national park in all the land between the Colonial Trail and the Appomattox River stretchig a mile or more east of 306 . . . the old courthouse village restored . . . a 75-room tourist hotel . . . landing field . . . military units from Quantico . . . the re-enactment of the surrender carried on television and seen instantaneously all over the world". The column carrying this look into the future was discovered in an issue of the T-Va. of 1932 by Mrs. J. B. Terry.

Please Fly Flags

The Appomattox Junior Woman's Club asks all merchants and other business places to fly the U. S. and Confederate flags on April 3, Gala Miss Appomattox parade is scheduled for 3 p.m.

Official Program For Centennial

Official Program Centennial Observance Of The Nation's Re-Union

Appomattox Court House

April 9-11, 1965

National Historical Park

Appomattox, Virginia

Program begins at Appomattox Court House National Historical Park At 2:00 P. M., April 9, 1965

Band Concert begins at 1:40 p.m. ..... United States Marine Band, Quantico, Virginia

Master of Ceremonies ..... Honorable John Warren Cooke, Chairman, Executive Committee, Virginia Civil War Commission

Invocation ..... Reverend Robert I. Alderman, Liberty Baptist Church, Appomattox, Virginia

Presentation of Colors ..... Virginia Military Institute

National Anthem ..... Miss Camille Elias, Accompanied by Marine Corps Band

Welcome to Virginia ..... Governor Albertis S. Harrison, Jr.

Introduction of Distinguished Guests ..... Honorable John Warren Cooke

Presentation of Appomattox Commemorative Stamp Albums ..... William M. McMillan, Assistant Postmaster General

Introduction of Speaker ..... Elbert Cox, Regional Director, National Park Service

Address ..... Bruce Catton

Benediction ..... Reverend John L. Suttenfield, Fairview Christian Church, Lynchburg, Va.

Taps ..... Buglers, Virginia Military Institute

Ribbon Cutting for Reconstructed Courthouse ..... Honorable Watkins M. Abbitt, General Ulysses S. Grant, III, Mr. Robert E. Lee, IV, George B. Hartzog, Jr., Director, National Park Service

William C. Hubbard, chairman of the Appomattox Civil War Centennial Committee and Mrs. Carrie Gilbert, chairman of the Official Program subcommittee, have made public details of the official program for commemoration of the 100th anniversary of the Surrender at Appomattox.

The afternoon's events begin at Appomattox Court House National Historical Park at 1:40 p.m. with a band concert by the United States Marine Band from Quantico, Virginia.

Master of ceremonies for the program to follow at 2:00 p.m. will be the Honorable John Warren Cooke, chairman, executive committee of the Virginia Civil War Commission.

Virginia Military Institute will present colors. An official welcome will be delivered by Governor Albertis S. Harrison, Jr., with the Honorable John Warren Cooke introducing distinguished guests.

William M. McMillan, Assistant Postmaster General, will present a Commemorative Stamp Album.

Elbert Cox, Regional Director, National Park Service, will introduce Bruce Catton, main speaker for the occasion. A ribbon cutting for the reconstructed Court House will follow the 2 p.m. program with Major General Ulysses S. Grant, III, and honored guests.

Music of Blue and Gray

The Appomattox Civic Chorus is presenting "Music of the Blue and Gray" on Friday evening, April 9, at Appomattox High School. No tickets are being sold, but a silver offering will be taken at the door.

UDC-American Legion

On Saturday, April 10, at 8 p.m. the United Daughters of the Confederacy, American Legion and Legion Auxiliary, will present a memorial program at the Appomattox Elementary School.

Veterans of Appomattox men went from this county to serve — the Abbitt, Flood, Mathews and Robertson companies. Names of these men will be read, and there will be special solos and band music, according to current plans.

"Peace Service"

On Sunday, April 11, at 3 p.m. the Appomattox Ministerial Association and the Appomattox County Civil War Centennial Committee will present a "Peace Service" at Appomattox Court House National Historial Park. Speaker will be the Reverend Walker Bocock Healy, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, Roanoke, and a great grandson of the first clerk of Appomattox County.

Official programs describing these events will be on sale.

Merchants Asked To Display Centennial Items During April

The Appomattox Civil War Centennial Committee appointed Robert Allen Sears, Luther Nash and Harry G. Lawson on a committee to contact the merchants and businessmen of Appomattox County and urge you to display items in keeping with the Civil War Centennial. To this end, the committee would like to make the following recommendations:

1. That each merchant or businessman have some display which is in keeping with his business and at the same time in keeping with the Civil War Centennial Celebration. We would like for these displays to continue through the entire month of April. (Example: Appomattox Garment Company might possibly have a display of dresses manufactured or worn during that period)

2. That each merchant or businessman display the American Flag and the Confederate Flag.

If so desired. The new 50 Star American Flag with the display assembly can be purchased at a modest price from the American Legion Post in Appomattox. They are available for immediate delivery and we suggest that you contact Larry Young or any member of the American Legion Post. We suggest that these flags be displayed during the whole month of April along with your other display.

3. That the businessmen and merchants make a special effort to clean up, repair and paint as much as possible so that we can make a favorable impression on the many visitors we expect in our County during this Civil War Centennial Celebration.

Churches To Offer Food For Park Centennial 9th

Several churches in the county, working with Mrs. A. A. Babcock, chairman of the Centennial Food Committee, are preparing 1500 ham and cheese sandwiches for sale at Appomattox Court House National Historical Park, on April 9.

Working in cooperation with the County Health Department, they will offer sandwiches, doughnuts, and ice cream beginning approximately 10:30 a.m. Friday morning, the 9th. Proceeds from the sale of w111 go to the participating churches, and members of the churches are preparing for "two or three days hard work', preparing and packaging the sandwiches, according to Mrs. Babcock.

Legion Urges Everyone To Fly Flags 9th

The American Legion urges all who have them to fly the U. S. and the Confederate flags on Friday, April 9, to lend color and honor to the Commemoration here.

Parade Begins At Three P. M.

In addition to the marching units, clowns, bands, and other attractions of the Miss Appomattox parade, these other units will be on view.

Charles Carter will be driving his antique car. A "Missile Float" will be here on loan from the U. S. Government, Harry Queen Float, Forestry Float, plus a number of local ladies in Centennial dress on view in decorated cars.

Parade Time is 3:00. Line-up is 2:00 p.m. for all participants. The parade will line-up and begin at Hillcrest Branch, Fidelity National Bank. Parade chairman is Mrs. Louise Lawson.

John B. Boatwright, 83, Former Appomattox Delegate Buried Tues.

John B. Boatwright, 83, of Buckingham, whose quarter - century service as a state legislator brought distinction to this area and to Virginia, died Sunday, March 28.

He represented Appomattox, Buckingham and Cumberland counties in Virginia's House of Delegates for a two-year term 1922-24 and returned for an interrupted 23-year period in 1936. He retired from arduous legislative duties in 1959.

A native of Buckingham county, he was born there November 27, 1881. He opened a law office at Buckingham after graduating from the T. C. Williams School of Law, University of Richmond, in 1908.

Assembly Service

He served with the U. S. State Department at Washington for a time after obtaining his law degree. He continued to practice law after his legislative retirement.

His service in the General Assembly included chairmanship of the House Committee on General Laws and of the Committee on Offenses against the Administration of Justice. His leadership on the latter committee gave it the name of the commonly-used Boatwright committee. It was created in 1956 in the early days of the school crisis in Virginia and sought to ferret out cases of solicitation of litigation by persons not parties to action in the courts.

Avid Sportsman

An avid sportsman and outdoor enthusiast, he was an outstanding baseball player for a number of years and was fond of hunting.

JOHN B. BOATWRIGHT

A brother, the late Dr. F. W. Boatwright, was president of the University of Richmond for half a century.

Mr. Boatwright's wife, the former Miss Grace Jones, of Richmond, died three weeks ago.

Surviving are two sons, John B. Boatwright, Jr., of Richmond, and Major Frederick L. Boatwright, of Neptune Beach, Fla.; three daughters, Mrs. Louise Broome, of Neptune Beach, Mrs. Carolyn Rice and Mrs. Nancy Moss, both of Buckingham, and a sister, Mrs. Sar B. Sandigayle.

Post 104 Celebrates Anniversary

The Forty-Sixth anniversary of the founding of the American Legion was celebrated by the Local American Legion post at the Post home on the evening of March 27, with a dinner well attended by the Legion Auxiliary and guests of the Legion. A delicious meal was served on attractivily decorated tables served under the direction of commander L. A. Young and Mrs. Young. All of the ladies present were presented with rose buds. Mrs. W. E. Layne will be the recipient of an Easter corsage from the Flower and Gift Shop of Mrs. L. A. Young. Mrs. Layne was elected inasmuch as her husband is the oldest veteran in attendance at the dinner. Commander Charles Thomas Moses, shown above, center introduced District Commander Lew Wilson, at far left. In turn Commander Wilson presented to the Post the "Johnny Matthews" Award for having exceeded its membership quota for the year. Standing next to Wilson is Post Adjutant Clifford L. Harvy with Mrs. C. T. Moses, Jr., Auxiliary president, and Joseph Holloway, Department Commander, shown at the far right. Commander Holloway made the principal anniversary address. Commander Holloway urged all Legionnaires and other veterans to write the President of the United States and urge him to abandon his so-called economy programs which would close over thirty Veterans Hospitals and Domiciliary homes for Veterans, "thus denying them medical care to which they are entitled. We believe that the 'Great Society' has an obligation to these disabled war veterans."

Town Council Urges Business To Close 9th

Dr. S. R. Lawson, mayor of Appomattox, speaking for the Town Council, has urged all "non-essential" business places to close for a half-day or full day on April 9.

Dr. Lawson says that this will afford local employees to be a part of the Centennial Commemoration. At the same time Dr. Lawson praised the efforts of the various "essential" services in the county — service stations, eating establishments, and others for their fine cooperation in preparing for an expected heavy influx of visitors from April 9-11.

Town employees have been busy 'cleaning up" and "fixing up" — There are all new mercury vapor street lamps; trash cans are being painted and placed in convenient locations; and new street signs installed through the cooperation of the State High way Department, plus many other intensive efforts to get ready for the Centennial.

Country Club Organized Here

The Falling River Country Club, Incorporated has been organized. Location of the new club is the old Mabley Farm, just beyond the Trans Co. Pumping Station. Plans for the immediate future call for a tennis court and swimming pool by early summer, plus a golf course in months to come.

Anyone desiring membership or information, please write the Falling River Country Club, Box 53, Appomattox.